Viadivestok garrison has been withdrawn and hurried to Harbin, but no confirmation of the rumor is obtainable.

The first Mukden prisoners are arriving in Japan. The government has chartered and fitted out forty steamers to assist the transports in carrying prisoners and wounded.

Revised figures of the Japanese losses at the battle of Mukden place them at 10,000, and revised estimates of the Russian losses from the commencement of the lattile of Mukden and ending with the fighting at Tie Pass, place the total at 175,000 killed, wounded or captured.

## ATTACK ISLAND.

Reported That Japanese Will Move Against Vladivostok and Saghalien Same Time.

(By Associated Press.)
VICTORIA, B. C., March 21.—Odvices reached by the steamer liyades to-day state that an expedition may be sent from Hokkaldo to capture the Island of Saghallen, out of which it is said the Japanese feel that they were cheated when Russla forced an exchange for the Kurlles. It is reported that an expedition will be sent, coincident with the movement against Viadivostok.

### DRIVEN TO FIGHT.

Owing to Impatience of St Petersburg, Kuropatkin Accepted Battle.

(By Associated Press.)
GUNSHU PASS (108 miles north of Tie
Pass). MANCHURIA, March 21.—The
Japanese losses are estimated at the
Russian headquarters to be 100,000.
Some of the troops employed to cover
the retreat from Mukčen were badly demoralized, losing their way in the hills
eastward, and only now rejoining their
own divisions.
So certain was General Kuropatkin of

own divisions.

So certain was General Kuropatkin of being able to hold Mukrien that maps of the country northward were not even dis-

tributed. Kuropatkin, however, resolved to accept battle against his better judgment, owing to the impatience of St. Petersburg for victory, and he was confirmed in this decision by false calculations of Fleld Marshal Oyama's strength.

One of the main factors of the success of the Japanese was in their violation of Chinese neutrality in the use of the Sinmintin road.

### NEW JAPANESE LOAN. Believed That Bonds Will be Offered for Sale.

Offered for Sale.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 21.—Progress is being made in the negotiations for a new Japanese loan, and it is believed that the bonds will be offered for sal eshortly. Bankers here and in Europe are considering the final details to-day and will very likely offer the issue at a price considerably higher than the flotation of inst November, when the bonds were offered at 8s. While the New York bankers interested, would not say just what price will be mude, it was sald that a short term six per cent, issue would command a price considerably above 90 by reason of Japan's increased prestige and the popularity of such an issue with American investors.

### PROTECT THE TREES. Committee on Flowers and Trees C. I. L. R. Makes Suggestions.

C. I. L. R. Makes Suggestions. At a meeting of the Committee on Flowers and Tree Flanting of the Civic Improvement League of Richmond attention was called to the fact that many fine trees in the city have been destroyed by storms and never replaced; that in many localities no trees, or very few, have ever been planted in many instances they have been planted in many instances they have been planted in many instances they have been planted in many instances trees, both young and old, have been greatly injured by highdiculous pruning, and that many have been dwifted gr had their health impaired by the lack of

ad-That he ask for the co-operation Governor for the protection of the in the Capitol Square. a-That he request the Department riculture in Washington to send an to examine the trees in the Capitol and our parks and strees and what should be done for the rystion.

as soon as poss...e.

Sixtn—That our citizens be arged to observe the suggestions in the Governor's proclamation concerning Arbor Day on the 25th of March, and that if unable to plant a tree on that day they generally observe the proclamation by planting a shrub or flower.

EUGENE C. MASSIE, Chairman;

CALLY RYLAND G. N. SHUMAN. March 2L 1965.

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G. N. SHUMAN.

March 21, 1906.

CAN'T KILL HIM.

Hobo Newspaper Man Takes a

Horrible Mixture.

(Special to The Timer-Dispatch)
CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 21.—Several days ago a hobo newspaper man, giving his name as Mclville Gardner, and claiming Bilchmend, Va., as his home, struck Charlotte deoking for work. He was assisted by local talent and promited well.

Last night he fel from grace and westarrested, spending the nik at in the city prison. This morning newspaper men secured his release and he wandered away. This afternoon he was found by the polic on the street in an unconscious condition. In his pockets were found bottles containing cornsive sublimate of mercey, mercural ointment and whiskey, and the exast evidence that he secured morphic from a drug store. The unfortunate man had partaken of all the drugs and the whiskey in the bargain, and when taken to the hospital was first pronounced deal late to night he revived, and it is now thought he will recover.

Richmond has no acquaintances with the knight of the quill.

However, the presentation of the province of advertising only.

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Everything here for the youngster, the youth and the man -for every occasion.



# BOMB HURLED AT RASSING PATROL

Six Soldier sand Two Policemen Dangerously Wounded in Warsaw.

### AGRARIAN TROUBLES SPREAD

Armed Resistance Being Made · in Caucasus to Forces of Civil Authority.

exploded in the midst of a passing patrol soldiers and two policemen were dangerously wounded. They were removed to

(By Associated Press.) PETERSBURG, March 22-2:20 A.

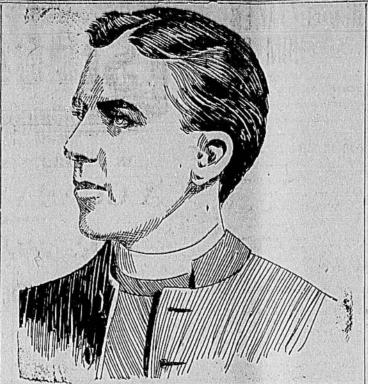
### SEVEN NEW CHARTERS.

Corporation Commission Author izes Many Business Enterprises. position to be free to use the fire, sensor

ness.

The L. W. Brown Corporation, Berkley, L. W. Brown, tresiden. Port Norfolk, R. E. Lindsay, vice-president, Davenport, Ia.; Ethel Brown, secretary, Port Norfolk, Capital stock, 190,000, Objects, To Purchase, lease, whire and exchange timber and simple lands and to do a general lumber business.

# BOTH EXONERATED.



REV. ROBERT S. COUPLAND.

Mr. Coupland will come early in May, and will have a sincerely regretful con gregation, who was left at the Church of the Ascension, Baltimore.

England Must Maintain Two and Possibly Three Power Standard, Says Selborne.

SUPPORTS FISCAL

Nation Merely Taking Into Ac count What Other Counq tries Are Doing.

policy.

Lord Schorne added that the principal Explanation of his mayal policy was that for administrative economy he had thought it nuwise to waste money on ships about to become ineffective.

ton Heights, and said that his people had declared in favor of annexation.

The speaker said his people felt that their town had been hampered by being cut off from the city. It would be better on account of fire and police protection, and of school facilities, that the town should some in

Merchants Petition It.

Mr. L. O. Miller, of the firm of Miller and Rhosds, read a letter signed by a large number of merchants on Broad and Main Streets, asking that the lines be as indicated by the Minor amendment. The letter was signed by about sixty-five merchants in the territory indicated, and Mr. Miller spoke briefly in its favor. Mr. N. W. Bowe said he was not opposed to annexation, but he was opposed to the taking in of territory which the city was not in a position properly to improve.

Mr. Howe said that as yet Lee District had not been sewered, and if this was the case, he did not understand how the city proposed to give these improvements

city proposed to give these improvements to Barton Heights, Clestaut Hill and the old fields on the Northside, Mr. J. Siewart Bryan spoke on behalf of the joint Committee of Progress, and he answered Mr. Bowe amid great ap-

with Mr. Bryan as to why certain sewers had not been laid in the city. "You are not asking before God or hefore man anything that is unjust," Mr. Bryan said, amid cheering.
"It is nothing but cowardice that is keeping us back," he said, "and it is cur duty to go forward."

Take in the Corporations. Mr. Bryan quoted Mr. Joseph Bryan as having said that the Council should go north, and far north with its lines. They should take in the corporations and treat them right after they were taken

treat them right after they were taken in.

"We may be wrong now," said Mr. Bryan in conclusion, "but the arbitrament of time will show that we are right."

Treasurer Waiter J. Todd, of Henrico, spoke of the revenue side of annexation, and said if the proposed lines were inaugurated, only \$40,000 of revenues would be left, when now the county spent \$50,000 in schools alone.

Mr. E. A. Cattin spoke for the Chamber of Commerce, and in favor of annexation. He could see no reason for objection to annexation, should the scheme

be fair and equitable, as he presumed it would be.

He took no stock in the contention that

annexation would by additional bur-dens upon the people in either the city cratic platform of the greatest good to the greatest number, and from this he augued with great force in favor of annexation.

Ryall Gets Applause. Mr. Catin said that in a group of fifty cities he read of in a magnaine recently. Richmond was shown to have grown less than any of them, and he thought this was a said commentary upon the city. Mr. John M. Ryall spoke briefly is a number of the joint Committee of Progress, and earnessly in favor of ansays.

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Mr. Hyall's remarks were often found; cheered, and were greatly enjoyed by all. Mr. Hill Montague spoke for annexation, representing the Chamber of Comerce, and his remarks were well received. He angued for the amendment riade by Mr. Minor, with some modifica-

tion.

Mr. W. A. Crenshaw earnestly urged annexation, and he said if manufacturies were to come here, there was not space enough left for two hundred homes. He asked that there be sufficient annex ation to furnish homes for the people who desired to come to Richmond. Mr. L. H. Jenkins followed Mr. Cren-

erricetly favored annexation, and he said he did not think manufacturers would be kept away by annexation, If this would keep them away, they deserved to stay

ly, and he urged broad lines of annex Mr. George McD. Blake warmly ad-

vocated annexation, and he harped on high rents in Richmond at present.

# and police facilities at any time as their own. Mr. Bache's remarks were loudly cheered, and he was followed by Mayor John E. Rose, who earnestly asked on behalf of his people that Barton Heights be taken in. He also spoke for Brockland Park as far as the boulevard, and said it would be a long while before the city would be called upon for water facilities, or for sewer accommodations. Major L. T. Christian spoke next, and he said, while in favor of annexation, ite was in favor of "reasonable annexation." Major Christian spoke especially against immediate attention when rece OF CANAL BOARD

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Major Christian spoke especially against the amendment offered by Mr. Minor, and said there was no reason for going that far with the new lines.

Mr. J. M. Fourneran said he favored annexation, but, like Major Christian, he thought the lines should not go as far as had been indicated. He favored taking in a part of Chestnut Hill, but he thought it would be unwise to go too far in the matter.

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President's Comment.

President Roosevelt, in his reply, criticises the statements made by Dr. Reed as in many instances "unsupported by proof," and concludes:

"Judging from your report, it appears that the chief dimentites that have arisen have come from the inherent faultiness of the law under which the commission was appointed. It further appears, however, that in view of our experience with the workings or the commission, a rearrangement of duties and a change of personnel, in view of this rearrangement, should be made. I am glad that you are shortly to submit to me a plan with these objects in view."

(By Associated Press.)

DENVER COL, March 11—The Colorado
General Assembly in joint committee today experated James M. Herbert, vicepresident and general manager of the president and general manager of the Colorado and Southern Railroad, and Daniel Sullivan, postmaster of Crippier
Creek, who had been charged with bribery in gubernatorial contest.

State Board of Pharmacy.

The State Board of Pharmacy.

The State Board of Pharmacy is in session at the University College of Medicine, and will be until Priday. The class of applicants for the licentiate in pharmacy or assistant numbers about seventy-flye, and white males. The manes of the applicants for license will not be given out, but the results will be announced when the averages shall have been figured up by the board.

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# PEONAGE CASES IN LOUISVILLE DISTRICT

Judge Orders Investigation, Declaring Remarkable State of Affairs Exists.

charging the Federal grand jury here to-

The District Attorney Informs that for some time he has been investigating reonage cases in this district, and from what he says, I am persuaded that a most remarkable state of affairs exists. The thirteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States guarantees

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liberty to every man; and in support of it a number of laws have been enacted by Cengress. One of them provides a penalty for any person who shall imprison mother without due conviction for a crime. This is peonage, if it be true that there are a number of cases of this kind in this district, it is your duty to bring indictments against the ofenders if the cases are brought before you with sufficient proof to make you reasonably believe that an indictment would result in conviction."

Shockoe Council To-night. dress by Dr. Peyson on the progress of modern science.

A number of candidate will have the degree conferred upon them, and a past regent's fewel will be presented to Brother J. S. Woodbarn, who enjoyed the distinction of having been one of the most successful regents this council has ever had, having increased the membership to nearly seven hundred.

Harness Factory Burned. Harness Factory Burned.

GAINESVILLE, GA., March 21.—Brandon and Delaperrieres's harness and collar factory at Hoschton was destroyed by fire at an early hour to-day. The plant was valued at between \$125,000 and \$150,000 and carried insurance amounting to approximately \$100,000. The origin of the fire is unknown. It was not discovered until after the flames had gained too much headway to be controlled.

the headquarters of the Seventieth Regiment:

Headquarters
Toth Regiment Infanity, Va., Vol.,
Richmond, Va., March 29, 1905.
In reference to the publication recently
made, entitled the "Official View of Mannssas," taken from the Army and Navy
Journal, as a part of the Southern soldiers it is desired to say that in reference
to the Seventieth Regiment that they
went to Manassas with the maximum
number of men allowed, fully armed and
equipped for any service; and that they
by the following letter from the commander of the Third Brigade. First Division, Manoeuver Corps, and thus cannot
have been "largely composed of weak
boys."

"Fort McPherson, Ga., Sept, 23, 1904.
"Commanding Officer Seventieth Virginia
Infanity, Richmond, Va.:

"Sir,—I desire to express through you
may appreciation of the fine spirit shown
by the Seventieth Virginia Infanity Regment while under my command at the
Manassas manoeuvers. The soldierly manner in which the regiment performed the
ardous duties and bore the hardships of
those days proved it possessed fine material, and I congratulate the troops upon
their work.

"Very sincerely yours,
(Signed) "BUTLER D. PRICE,
"Colonel Sixteenth Infanity, U. S. A.,
Late Commander of Third Brigade,
First Division, Manoeuver Corps."

Respectfully submitted,
C. G. BOSSIEUX.

Major and Acting Adjutant Seventieth
Infanity, Adjutant,

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Jan. 11th. 1944

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condition.

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Very truly yours.

Swamp-Root is not recommended for Y., on every bottle.

Mr. C. D. Wingfield, of the Crystal Ice Company, has just raturned from Au-gusta, Ga., where he went to attend the convention of the Southern Ice Exchange. The convention consists of several hun-dred members, and represents 102 in factories. The Exchange will meet in this olly, next, year.

factories. The Exchange will meet it the city next year.

Mr. Wingfield was chosen president at the meeting. The time of meeting will be fixed by the Executive Committee at their meeting some time this summer.

A lot of business of importance to the manufacturer as well as the consumer is always enacted at these conventions. PRESIDENT NAMES

"STONEWALL'S" GRANDSON

CONSOLIDATION OF

SCHOOLS DISCUSSED

State Board of Education Meeting Here on Important

DEFENDS REGIMENT.

Seventieth Showed Up All Right

at Manassas Manoeuvers.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON. March 21.—The President has designated a number of candidates for examination for admission to the United States Military Academy in the class entering the acadamy in 1996, among them being Thomas Jonathan Jockson Christian, grandson of "Stonewall" Jackson.

ICE MEN TO MEET HERE.

Mr. C. D. Wingfield Chosen Pres-

ident Southern Ice Exchange.

Comer Discharged.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LURAY, VA., March 21.—David Comer,
who was arrested in this county several
weeks ago, charged with being implicated in the drowning of George Henderson, the North Carolina negro, at Ingham, 12 miles south of Luray, has just
been discharged by Justice Morrison, of





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